

**ATTACHMENT B**  
**VISUAL SITE INSPECTION SUMMARY AND PHOTOGRAPHS**

## **VISUAL SITE INSPECTION SUMMARY**

**Drawn Metal Products Company (Drawn Metal)**  
6143 West Howard Street  
Niles, Illinois 60648  
ILD 000 768 671

**Date:** January 26, 1993

**Primary Facility Representative:** Colby Jones, President  
**Representative Telephone No.:** 708/647-8941  
**Additional Facility Representatives:** Donald Tessman, Manufacturing Manager

**Inspection Team:** Jack Brunner, PRC Environmental Management, Inc. (PRC)  
Mary Joyce Freibert, PRC

**Photographer:** Jack Brunner, PRC

**Weather Conditions:** Cloudy; 25 °F

**Summary of Activities:** The visual site inspection (VSI) began at 9:00 a.m. with an introductory meeting. The inspection team explained the purpose of the VSI and the agenda for the visit. Facility representatives then discussed the facility's past and current operations, solid wastes generated, and release history. Facility representatives provided the inspection team with copies of requested documents.

The VSI tour began at 9:55 a.m. PRC inspected the Hazardous Waste Container Storage Area (CSA) (SWMU 1), Distillation System (SWMU 2), Waste Oil CSA (SWMU 3), Former Waste CSA (SWMU 4), Waste Oil Accumulation Area (SWMU 5), Waste Oil Staging area (SWMU 6), Scrap Metal Accumulation Areas (SWUM 7), and Scrap Metal Storage Areas (SWMU 8).

The tour concluded at 10:25 a.m., after which the inspection team held an exit meeting with facility representatives. The VSI was completed and the inspection team left the facility at 11:00 p.m.



**Photograph No. 1**

**Orientation:** North

**Location:** SWMU 1

**Date:** 01/26/93

**Description:** Hazardous Waste CSA containing three wooden pallets; the area south of the unit contained one 55-gallon drum of still bottoms containing TCE (F002); according to the facility representative, the 55-gallon drum was temporarily stored outside the unit because the unit had recently been shovelled after heavy snowfall during the previous week; area is surrounded by asphalt



**Photograph No. 2**

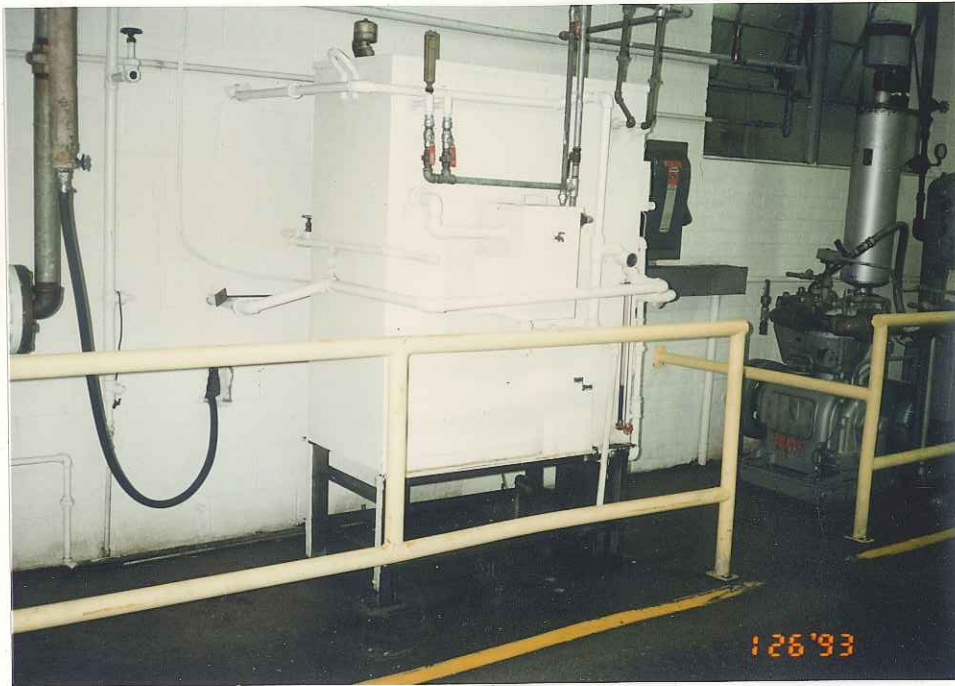
**Orientation:** Northeast

**Location:** SWMUs 1, 3, 4, and 8

**Date:** 01/26/93

**Description:** Area south of the facility that consists of the Hazardous Waste CSA, the Waste Oil CSA, the Former Waste CSA, and one of the Scrap Metal Storage Areas





Photograph No. 3  
 Orientation: Southeast  
 Description: Distillation System

Location: SWMU 2  
 Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 4  
 Orientation: East  
 Description: Waste Oil CSA containing 10 55-gallon drums of nonhazardous waste oil; area around the unit is asphalt

Location: SWMU 3  
 Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 5

Orientation: East

Description: Former Waste CSA containing seven empty 55-gallon steel drums; PRC noted no stains on the gravel or evidence of spills during the VSI; area around the unit is a concrete pad to the west and southwest and asphalt to the east and south

Location: SWMU 4

Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 6

Orientation: South

Description: Waste Oil Accumulation Area containing one partially full, 55-gallon steel drum

Location: SWMU-5

Date: 01/26/93





Photograph No. 7

Orientation: South

Description: Waste Oil Staging Area containing 14 55-gallon drums of waste oil

Location: SWMU 6

Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 8

Orientation: South

Description: One of the Scrap Metal Accumulation Areas with a 1- to 2-cubic-yard container

Location: SWMU 7

Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 9

Orientation: South

Description: Scrap metal covered with waste oil in a 1- to 2-cubic-yard container at a Scrap Metal Accumulation Area

Location: SWMU 7

Date: 01/26/93



Photograph No. 10

Orientation: East

Description: Scrap Metal Storage Area with nonhazardous waste oil stains on the concrete pad and on the facility's outside wall

Location: SWMU 8

Date: 01/26/93





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ph No. 1

Orientation: East

Description: Scrap Metal Storage Area with nonhazardous waste oil stains on the concrete pad  
and on the facility's outside wall

Location: SWMU 8

Date: 01/26/93



**ATTACHMENT C**  
**VISUAL SITE INSPECTION FIELD NOTES**

Q900

1/26/53  
DRAWN FROM PRODUCTS CORP  
Harris, IL

RD 000 708 671

PAVSE

PRL on-site

Jack Bunn  
Mary Frobert

Q900

Cloudy, 28°F

Met w/ Donald Tessmer Mfg. Manager

Q905

Slangy or deep draw/punch press  
- machine stop; stop/review

mostly cold roll steel (90%) - still  
- some brass, aluminum, etc.

Manufacturers: doing components

1/26/53

Q900

- 30-40% of tires on dry road...  
- TCE repurchased  
- separate still  
- clean still gradually  
- 55-gallon drum  
- Mfg fuel injection caps  
- "gauge connects" to WC, fuel lines  
- 85-70% automation parts - Ford Motor Company  
- some other products

- ~30 years old

ownership - Ford ownership

- Michael, Div. of MW industries

- Michael only

- Tatham, Inc. - current owner

- 40-45 employees (30-35 MW, remainder other)

1/26/53



(10)

8 km

2 sh. Hs; 5 day work; 2 study / month

- Currently considered as SAG

TLE study. → CSA

3-5 drums / month

- West oils

- separate outdoor area

- stored indoors before pickup during the winter

25 drums (55 gal 2 months)

- lubrication of machines -- stored when spent

- Scrap steel -- hyps @ machines → roll-off box

Hoppers - 4-5 yd<sup>3</sup>

Roll-off 10-20 yd<sup>3</sup>

Jacobson Scrap

1 roll-off / week

- 1/24/93

(11)

- NEAREST residence ~ 0.5 mile south

- ~~At~~ Industries on all sides of the facility

- 300 gallon TCE product tank

100-gallon vent tank at dry mass

- West oil: TCE formerly used is & t  
Bever Oil

- Former West Oil Storage area - Started ~ 1988  
- currently used for empty skids

- West Oil Storage Area ~ 1988 to present

- Downer Molds has been on airport - ~ 1986

- No USTs @ the facility

1/24/93



(102)

- Will or s.t.

-- for Miss H. O. Only  
4/26/60 did

167960 217 did

family - 170' long

$$D_{\text{eff}} H_2O \rightarrow \text{eth } H_2O$$

→ combined duty / storm surfs

Hz Wt Start

11/11/11 - No document! was history

Willis Forge electric security system for the building

Potential Sum

H.W. CSA ✓

1) Wt. Oil Sp. Inc.

5) From 10/15/2017 to 10/15/2018

Net O.I. Accounts Receivable

5)  $\log_{10} 1000 = 3$

✓(2) Sayyid Abul Kalam (unc)

11:45 AM

(B) Dist Oil Staging Area

1/26/23



By:                                               

Scrub Shrike-hoppers  
Plate #1

Plate #	Loc
2	

Sept 1895

$\frac{1}{m} \ln$

- Color coded by topic of note

② degree - this is 1: 700-16-776

folk or beatniks

Shays

will be left on the  
ground will be  
correct.

7-10-19

Phil #3 SE

50/97/16/93



(104)

- West Oil accumulation Area

55-gallon steel drum w/ barrel

- cement floor near slab door

Photo #4 S - West Oil Area Area

- Action will - H<sub>2</sub>O gas

1) Air compressor

2) Oxygen

3) Still

Ward

only

H<sub>2</sub>O

- Drive West Oil, Stig Area

n 15 days - kept closed

- Lab. M. as "Nuclear U.S.A."



9 hours

Photo #5 S - West Oil, Stig Area

1/20/45

10:15 Fred - area

East Nighor - Universal Press, Inc.



Photo #6 N - H<sub>2</sub>O

Photo #7 E - West

Photo #8 E - East

West Oil, Stig Area

Photo #9 E - East

Photo #10 NE - East

Photo #11 NE - East

Photo #12 NE - East

Photo #13 NE - East

Photo #14 NE - East

Photo #15 NE - East

Photo #16 NE - East

Photo #17 NE - East

Photo #18 NE - East

Photo #19 NE - East

Photo #20 NE - East

(10)

- West Michigan City Schmitt

Q Deck #1 - Seismic Ref

Sta. 1A

asphalt on

oil stains on

gravel walls

Plot #11 E- Deck #1 S. 7

marked 1 Sta. 1A

red wall 1 right

N. New - Arctic Engineering  
Equipment

10:25 Freight

10:30 Material Packed - Controller

10/2/53

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- Jackson Iron & Steel Co., Inc.

Chicago, IL

- receives 11 steel

- carbon (80.85%)

- Beaver Oil Co.

Hallams, IL

520 264 48 353

- receives waste oil - from refinery

last RE also (Harker)

- By Beaver Oil Co.

520 264 48 353

- Detroit Corp.

Alcoa Pk, IL

520 074 424 538 by sum

- receives spent RE (Food)

- Fuel for operations ~ 1956 1957

- DMP Co.

- owner

1956-1957 - Merchant owned -

Joseph Zyl

"adviser" of health

DMP

10/2/53



1575 1799 NU Distors. Bright Acridat 1.11. at  
to subscribers, including DWP

Dr.

1284 - Mordet, <sup>1</sup> bought out Jan 4<sup>th</sup> 1873  
NW Dist. Mordet de -

Handl H. Dr. -> Drp

1987/162K

- John, Dr. Bought  
new, including  
3 shirts & 1 pair

Exit interview/wrap-up meeting  
10:55

② 2014

Attn: Cabby Jones - President  
for V Paper's input

S-A-1 Towing Service / Auto Rental  
JAC JAS to

lipid

2/2/2019

1/2/21



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION 5  
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD  
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

HRE-8J

January 15, 1993

RECEIVED AUG 09 1993  
WMD RCRA  
RECORD CENTER PA/USI

Donald Tessman  
Drawn Metal Products Division  
6143 West Howard Street  
Niles, Illinois 60648

Re: Visual Site Inspection  
Drawn Metal Products Division  
Niles, Illinois  
ID #ILD 000 768 671

Dear Mr. Tessman:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) Region V will conduct a Preliminary Assessment including a Visual Site Inspection (PA/VSI) at the referenced facility. This inspection is conducted pursuant to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as amended (RCRA) Section 3007 and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended (CERCLA) Section 104(e). The referenced facility has generated, treated, stored, or disposed of hazardous waste subject to RCRA. The PA/VSI requires identification and systematic review of all solid waste streams at the facility. The objective of the PA/VSI is to determine whether or not releases of hazardous wastes or hazardous constituents have occurred or are occurring at the facility which may require further investigation. This analysis will also provide information to establish priorities for addressing any confirmed releases.

The visual site inspection of your facility is to verify the location of all solid waste management units (SWMUs) and areas of concern (AOCs) to make a cursory determination of their condition by visual observation. The definitions of SWMUs and AOCs are included in Attachment I. The VSI supplements and updates data gathered during a preliminary file review. During this site inspection, no samples will be taken. A sampling visit to ascertain if releases of hazardous waste or constituents have occurred may be required at a later date.

Assistance of some of your personnel may be required in reviewing solid waste flow(s) or previous disposal practices. The site inspection is to provide a technical understanding of the present and past waste flows and handling, treatment, storage, and disposal practices. Photographs of the facility are necessary to document the condition of the units at the facility and the waste management practices used.

The VSI has been scheduled for January 26, 1993, at 9:00 a.m. The inspection team will consist of Jack Brunner and Mary Friebert of PRC Environmental Management, Inc., a contractor for the U.S. EPA. Representatives of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) may also be present. Your cooperation in admitting and assisting them while on site is appreciated.

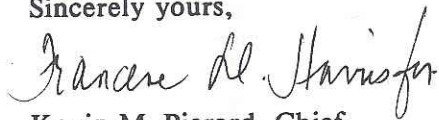


Mr. Tessman  
January 15, 1993  
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The U.S. EPA recommends that personnel who are familiar with present and past manufacturing and waste management activities be available during the VSI. Access to any relevant maps, diagrams, hydrogeologic reports, environmental assessment reports, sampling data sheets, environmental permits (air, NPDES), manifests and/or correspondence is also necessary, as such information is needed to complete the PA/VSI.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (312) 886-4448 or Francene Harris at (312) 886-2884. A copy of the Preliminary Assessment/Visual Site Inspection Report, excluding the conclusions and Executive Summary portion will be sent when the report is available.

Sincerely yours,



Kevin M. Pierard, Chief  
OH/MN Technical Enforcement Section

Enclosure

cc: Larry Eastep - IEPA, Springfield  
Glenn Savage - IEPA, Springfield  
Donna Gzech - IEPA, Maywood